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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Rosalie (nee Lowe) Loeding of Naperville, who passed away on May 7, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Rosalie Loeding was born in Lufkin, Texas; she grew up in El Paso and Dallas, Texas and Shreveport, Louisiana; she earned her bachelor's degree and master's degree in music from Northwestern University; she married John Loeding in 1949; and

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WHEREAS, Rosalie Loeding was a voice teacher who counted among her students, Conway Twitty and Paul Harvey; she taught "vocal survival" seminars to actors, preachers, and singers of opera, rock, and jazz; she presented papers at professional conferences and worked with a voice rehabilitation program at then Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center; she was invited by doctors on consultations with patients; she worked as a professor at Benedictine University from 1970 to 1995; and

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WHEREAS, Rosalie Loeding enjoyed performing in suburban musical theater, including "South Pacific" and "Damn Yankees"; and

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WHEREAS, Rosalie Loeding became involved in local politics

1 as a Republican committee person; and

2 WHEREAS, Rosalie Loeding was preceded in death by her son,
3 William W. Loeding, and her first and second husbands, John
4 Loeding and Harry Clamor; and

5 WHEREAS, Rosalie Loeding is survived by her daughters, Anne
6 Loeding-Foster and Barbara Loeding; her brother, Howard; her 4
7 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
10 Rosalie Loeding, and extend our sincere condolences to her
11 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
12 further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to the family of Rosalie Loeding as an expression of
15 our deepest sympathy.